TO CLOSE BRIDGE AT FIRST SIGN OF PERIL

Officials Keeping Close Watch on Aqueduct Structure, Says Colonel Kutz.

to traffic as long as it is consistent with the absolute safety of the public. At the first sign of danger from the

This was the statement made today by Engineer Commissioner Kutz. both the Engineer Department of the District. Government and United States Engineer's office are keeping close watch on the situation. Much depends he said area to the situation of the P ST, N. W., 1315—Two large beautiful resona for inauguration, with all conventions. The ST, S, W., 216—Two nicely furnished receives. Colonel Kutz said that officials of cation depends, he said, upon how the ice breaks. A sudden thaw, he explain-ed, might result in an ice jam, which would endanger the piers, whereas if there is a slow and steady movement the danger might be obviated. If there is a jam, dynamite may be used

in breaking the ice above the bridge. The danger is in a sudden thaw, which would cause a congestion of ice at the piers. Weather conditions during the last few days, it was said. have aided the situation, and there is a probability of the ice getting out of the river without endangering the bridge.

GOVERNORS ACCEPT

Heads of Commonwealths Will Gather for Conference,

Acceptances of the invitation to attend the governors' conference to be held here March 6 for the consideration of plans for a permanent State exposition were received today by the pre-inaugural committee of the Fed-eration of Citizens' Associations from Governors Ruffin G. Pleasant. Louisiana, and Theodore G. Bilbo, of Mississippi. Of the thirteen gover-nors who have announced that they will atend the inaugural ceremonies

a majority have stated that they will remain for the conference. Representatives of every trade or-ganization in the United States will be invited to attend. Fifteen hundred committee of the joint States' committee, which is working in co-opera-tion with the inaugural committee of

the federation.

The address of welcome at the conference will be delivered by Commis-sioner Oliver P. Newman.

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Wednesday, "America," "Red, White and Plan" "Hall Columbia" "Folia" and Blue," "Hall, Columbia," "Dixie,"
"Battle Hymn of the Republic,"
"Angel of Peace," and "The Star-Span-

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The funeral services will be held at her apartment, 202 The Albemarie, on Wednesday morning. February 21, at 10 o'clock. Interment at Rock Creek Cemetery, private.

SEEK-On Sunday, February 18, 1217, OLIVE S. SEEK (nee Germann), beloved wife of Evgrett Seek, aged nineteen years. Funeral from the residence of her parents, (Silgo Mill road, on Tuesday, February 20, at 16:29 a. m. Mass at the Church of the Nativity, Brightwood, D. C., at 11:26 a. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend. In-terment at Rock Creek Cemetery.

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